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UNCLE SAM WILL PROTECT AMERICANS

Who Are In Russia In Thick Of Revolution.

NO VESSEL IN EUROPEAN WATERS

It Is Expected that a Ship Will Be Sent to Riga, But Its Distance from St. Petersburg Would Be of Little Value.

Chicago, Dec. 28.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Washington, D. C., says:

Because of the serious situation in Russia, Secretary Root has requested the navy department to take measures for the protection of American citizens in St. Petersburg.

The state department was informed by the secretary of the navy that, unfortunately, there is no vessel in European waters which can be sent to St. Petersburg before navigation is interrupted.

It is expected, however, that a ship will be sent to Europe, certainly to Riga, which is not frozen up. But as Riga is some distance from St. Petersburg, a warship at that point would be of little value." In case of extreme danger, it is expected Secretary Root will ask the good offices of the Swedish or French government to give what assistance it can to Americans.

FOUL PLAY SUSPECTED.

Wife and Tenant Under Suspicion of Poisoning Husband.

Thomaston, Ga., Dec. 28.—John Will Howard, 30 years of age, was found dead in bed at his home on the farm of Hon. M. D. Womble, about 7 miles west of Thomaston, Tuesday morning.

Coroner McRae summoned a jury and went into an investigation, which, he thinks, disclosed foul play, and Sheriff Howell now has under arrest and in jail in Thomaston Mrs. Howard the wife of the dead man, and Mr. Emily Wynn. Both Mrs Howard and Wynn declare that if Howard died from any other than natural causes that they had nothing to do with the k... ing.

Dr. K. S. Williams, who accompanied the coroner to the scene, says that the post mortem examination clearly shows that the dead man was the victim of opium poison and that the body indicates that it was given in whisky. Howard and his wife had been separated for some time, and it is said that he had gone back home for the purpose of trying to influence her to live with him again. His wife is a pleasant looking woman about 25 years of age, and has now in jail with her a bright little girl baby, two or three years old, and an infant babe one month old.

WALTER HILL AT DEATH'S DOOR.

Chancellor of Georgia State University Ill With Pneumonia.

Athens, Ga., Dec. 28.—Hon. Walter B. Hill, chancellor of the state university, is critically ill with pneumonia.

Latest reports from his bedside indicate that he may not recover.

Chancellor Hill was taken ill with grip last Tuesday morning. This rapidly went into pneumonia, in which one lung is involved. The sick man is conscious and realizes the gravity of his case.

Dr. Hunter P. Cooper, of Atlanta, was called into consultation with Dr. S. C. Benedict, of this city, and both physicians are very apprehensive of the result of the case.

Poisoned Candy Sent to Queen.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 27.—Miss Elsie Smith, who was "Queen Titania," in Albany Hallowe'en carnival, of 1904, reported to the police that sh ereceived through the mail a box of candy containing poison. The chocolate drops in the box had been opened and the poison spread within. A druggist who analyzed the contents declared that the candy contained enough Paris green and other poisons to kill the whole family

CLUB IS SEARCHED BY OFFICERS.

In Effort to Find Three Aldermen of Greensboro.

Greensboro, N. C., Dec. 28.—At a special meeting of the board of aldermen, held for the purpose of electing a city attorney, three of the six aldermen, as the result of a factional fight of long standing, started to leave the room, paying no attention to the order of the mayor to remain.

The mayor then directed the chief of police to bring back the three aldermen with whatever force was necessary.

The three men could not be found, and in the hunt the Merchants' and Manufacturers' club, the most fashionable of the city, was searched by four policemen, and trouble was narrowly averted upon their being ordered out of the rooms by the president of the club.

The mayor and the three remaining members of the board then employed a city attorney. The city is much wrought up over the incident, and it is believed that a factional fight will ensue, which will go far toward laying bare municipal secrets, so zealously guarded in the past by the official family.

BURGLAR'S DEAD BODY FOUND.

Reggier Had Served Time in the Alabama Penitentiary.

New Orleans, Dec. 28—A pedestrian on Roman street near Canal stumbled over the form of a man lying on the sidewalk. He thought the man was drunk but on examination showed he was dead At the morgue it was found that he had been murdered. A bullet had entered his back.

The police officers identified the body as that of George Reggier, alias Red Reggier, a dangerous character and a man whose profession is said to have been that of a burglar in different cities. The Bertillon records confirmed the identification and it shows that Reggier had done time in the Alabama penitentiary. Burglar's paraphernalia was found on the body.

A tall man was seen hurrying away as the body was found. The theory of the police is that Reggier was either lured to the spot and killed by a confederate or met his death while attempting a burglary

DEATH IN OCEAN FOR CREW.

Schooner Sakatka, of Nova Scotia, is Wrecked.

Tampa, Fla., Dec. 28—Capt. Leonard of the schooner Helen Thomas, reports the wreck of the three-masted schooner Sakatka, of Paarsboro, Nova Scotia, and the drowning of the entire crew, excepting John F. Williams, of St. Johns, New Brunswick, the mate.

The capsized schooner was first sighted by Captain Leonard on Dec. 23. He sent a boat containing his second officer and five men to the wreck. The men found Williams clinging to the vessel, having been without food or drink for four days.

Hunger had forced Williams to eat a portion of his oil coat. Among the drowned were John Conlan, managing owner of the schooner, and his son, both of Parsboro, Nova Scotia; John Cox, of St. Johns, steward, and four seamen. Williams has about recovered from his horrible experience.

The wrecked schooner was bound for Havana, Cuba.

Public Safety Board Gets Busy.

Louisville, Dec. 28.—he board of public safety today ordered that the police regulations regarding the standing in aisles and blockading of passages in theaters must be strictly enforced after January 1. The city building inspector was instructed to examine every piece of scenery brought to Louisville by theatrical companies and to see that it is properly fire-proofed before being placed on the stage.

Prepare for Session of Presbyterians.

St. Louis, Dec. 28.—A subcommittee of the general committee representing the Presbyterian and Cumberland Presbyterian churches met here to prepare for the session of the entire body on Thursday, when the details of the union of the two branches of the Presbyterian church, which has already been decided on, has been consummated.

THREE INSTITUTIONS FAIL TO OPEN DOORS

Cause Of Suspension Overloans On Discounts.

A RECEIVER IS APPOINTED

Have Ample Assets and Will Pay Dollar for Dollar—Suspension Caused Little Excitement In Financial Circles—Had $200,000 Capital Stock.

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 28.—Three financial institution failed to open their doors for business today. The Merchants' Trust company, with a capital stock of $200,000; the American Savings Bank and Trust company, and the Mechanics' Savings bank, smaller institutions, and allies with the first named concern, have gone into liquidation.

The following notice was posted on the doors of the Merchants Trust company:

"This bank is closed by order of the board of directors, and will go into liquidation. (Signed) Felix T. Pope, president."

Another notice read as follows:

"This bank has gone into liquidation. Joan P. Edmondson has been appointed receiver."

The cause of the suspension of the Merchants' Trust company is said to have been over loans on discounts.

One of the directors said to a representative of the Associated Press that the three institutions had ample assets, and would pay dollar for dollar.

When the officers of the Merchants' Trust company decided to suspend business, Chancellor Heiskell was asked to appoint a receiver for the institution. Hon. John P. Edmondson, one of the best known lawyers in Memphis, was named as receiver.

The Merchats' Trust company recently absorbed the Memphis National bank, and, it is said, owns the controlling stock of the American Savings Bank and Trust company. The latter institution has practically absorbed the Mechanics' Savings bank.

The suspension of the three institutions caused little excitement in financial circles.

Owe Depositors Big Sum.

New York, Dec. 28.—According to a recent statement the Merchants' Trust company of Memphis, Tenn., owed depositors $605,000. The American Savings Bank and Trust company of Memphis, Tenn., according to a resent statement, owed depositors $625,000.

Want New Army Revolvers.

Washington, Dec. 28—The ordnance bureau of the war department has in contemplation a competitive contest for new models of a revolver for the use of the United States army. It is desired by the department as a weapon possessed by greater stopping power than the revolver now in use in the army. The details of the trials have not as yet been arranged. It is expected that weapons of large calibre and practically of different type from those now is use will be tested.

Protest Against Union.

Nashville, Dec. 28.—About one hundred men and women, members of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, from a number of states, met here today to protest against the Union of the Cumberland Presbyterian and the Presbyterian churches. The meeting is for the purpose of receiving reports of committees appointed a year ago.

Car Conductor Injured.

Macon, Ga., Dec. 28.—Conductor M. F. Stevens fell from a car at the corner of Fourth and Mulberry streets and was badly injured. His foot was crushed, and an arm fractured. He was taken to the city hospital where the wounds were dressed. The car wheels narrowly missed his body.

Jailer Locked in Prison Cell.

El Paso, Tex., Dec. 28.—Howard Chesowith, under sentence of 10 years for killing City Marshal Kilburn, of Silver City, N. Mex., was rescued by masked men, who overpowered the jailer and locked him in Chesowith's cell.

WHEELER FOR CHIEF OF POLICE.

Ex-Confederate Leader Slated to Succeed Commissioner McAdoo.

New York, Dec. 28—General Joseph Wheeler, the famous cavalry leader, has been announced as a candidate for William McAdoo's place as police commissioner. His friends think it a settled that Mayor McClellan will name him for the position.

That General Wheeler is a possibility for ruler of the city's police caused much surprise when the news came out. He has been the darkest sort of a dark horse candidate. Around city hall the rumor of his candidacy was circulated as authentic, and almost everyone believed it.

This is one of many appointments about which Mayor McClellan has not consulted Boss Murphy. Gen. Wheeler is the mayor's own choice, it is declared.

General Wheeler has been living in New York most of the time since the Spanish-American war. He draws half pay as a major general of the United States army, and if he becomes police commissioner he will still enjoy this allowance.

THREE KILED BY FAST TRAIN.

Accident Occurs on Southern at Spartanburg, S. C.

Spartanburg, S. C., Dec. 28—D. M. Hill and Richard Rogers, of Saxon Hill, S. C., and J. F. Stone, of Cross Anchor, were struck and instantly killed by a fast train of the Southern railway in the yards here Tuesday.

The accident occurred on a curve in the road above the Brawley street trestle. The men were walking on the west track toward the depot and to avoid an approaching freight stepped over to the east track, when the fast northbound passenger, running two hours and a half late, struck them. They were badly mangled.

Stone was a well-to-do farmer, who came here to pay his taxes.

TRAGEDY AT BIRMINGHAM.

Mrs. Alice Johnson and A. Cochran Are Found Dead.

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 28—Hearing pistol shots fired in the house of Mrs. Alice Johnson, who conducted a rooming house at 529 South Twenty-third street, neighbors investigated and found Mrs. Johnson lying on the floor of her room dead with a bullet hole in her head, while near by lay A. Cochran, a railroad man, mortally wounded.

A pistol lying near Cochran's body suggested that he had taken the life of Mrs. Johnson and then turned the weapon upon himself.

No cause for the double tragedy has yet been revealed, and Cochran is unable to make a statement. Mrs. Johnson was a widow.

Photographed Eclipse of Sun.

Washington, Dec. 28.—Rear Admiral Chester, superintendent of the naval observatory, who went to the Mediterranean last summer, as the representative of the observatory to witness the August eclipse of the sun, has returned to Washington. He said that while many good photographs of the eclipse had been obtained, the real results of the observations will not be known until these photographs are thoroughly studied. It will be two or three months before much can be known about what discoveries have been made, said the admiral, and it will be several years before the full results can be published.

Is Killed While Hunting.

Atlanta, Dec. 28—While enjoying a day's shooting last Monday, Henry Edward Jones, was accidentally shot and killed by his cousin, Wayne Jones. The accident occurred near Dunwoody, Ga. Wayne Jones had his gun on his shoulder. An overhanging limb struck against the hammer, causing a discharge. The full contents of the load of the gun entered the head of young Henry Jones, who was walking in the rear, killing him instantly.

Express Messenger Killed by Negro.

Macon, Ga., Dec. 28—News received in Macon is to the effect that W. J. Mabry, the Southern Express company messenger who was stabbed in Chattanooga by a negro, had died. At last accounts the negro had not been captured, although he was hotly pursued.

ACTUAL OUTLOOK IS HARD TO DESCRIBE

Train Service Cut Off And The Frontiers Isolated.

FEWER ROWDIES ARE MET WITH

Peasants Are Now Quiet—Exodus from Odessa Continues—Business is at a Standstill—Revolutionary Party Endeavors to Close Banks.

Odessa, Dec. 28—The actual outlook is difficult to describe now that the train service is cut off beyond Zmerinka, St. Petersburg and Moscow and the frontiers are isloated.

The post and telegraph departments are working again, but it is quite uncertain how long they will continue in operation since fresh strikes are declared daily and a general strike is expected every moment. However, popular sentiment here is for a speedy finish of the disorders and street disturbances will be promply ended by the military. Already fewer rowdies are met with and a part from the nervous tension the city has entirely resumed its normal aspect.

The peasants of the Kherson district are now quiet as the military sent there had orders to shoot maurauders.

The exodus from Odessa still continues. The steamers leaving here are full of passengers. Most of the families of the foreign residents have already left, and the consuls have made arrangements for ships to take the remainder if such a step becomes necessary.

Business is at a standstill. At the moment of sending this dispatch the revolutionary party is endeavoring to close the banks.

EARTHQUAKE IN EAST TURKEY.

Much Suffering Among Armenians in the Harpoot Villayet.

Boston, Dec. 28.—The American board of commissioners has received a cablegram from Constantinople announcing a severe earthquake in the Harpoot villayet in eastern Turkey, which destroyed many houses and made many people homeless and destitute. The dispatch adds that relief is needed.

This region is said to be very densely populated, largely by Armenians. It is one of the sections of Asiatic Turkey devastated at the time of the Armenian massacres in 1895. Harpoot is the seat of Euphrates college, with nearly 1,000 pupils; of a theological seminary, of a medical institution and the headquarters of a large evangelistic work covering that entire district.

Advertise Islands For Sale.

San Francisco, Dec. 28.—An advertisement appearing in a local paper offers for sale Fanning and Washington islands, in the South Pacific, under instructions of the registrar of the British nigh commissioners' court for the western Pacific. Fanning island is well known. It used to be a port of call for the oceanic steamers plying between this city and the Australian ports and the Canadian Pacific steamers now stop there on their way up from the colonies.

Taking Start on Yellow Jack.

Austin, Tex., Dec. 28—State Health Officer Tabor has written to Surgeon General Wyman, of the United States public health and marine hospital service, asking him to do sanitary work in Louisiana and Mississippi this winter; that is, that the marine hospital service take charge of the work in those states outside of New Orleans, with a view of preventing a recurring of yellow fever next summer from any infection remaining from the recent epidemic.

Brother 116 Days Older than Sister.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 28—Mrs. Alfred Wiltz, of 815 Central avenue, this city, is the mother of a 3-day-old daughter, which she insists was born 116 days, or less than four months after she had given birth to a son. Her story is partially vouched for by Dr. George T. Morton, a reputable physician, who attended her.

AFTER SIX YEARS LOGAN WAS CAUGHT

Alleged Slayer of John Jones Has Been at Last Apprehended.

WAS IN FOLKSTON, GEORGIA

By Clever Work a Complete Web Was Woven About the Man With the Result That His Arrest Followed—His Accomplice Never Apprehended.

One of the most positive demonstrations of the old proverb, "Murder Will Out," has been made within the past two days, when, at Folkston, Ga., the officers arrested one Walthour Logan, charged with the murder of John Jones, at a turpentine camp, Lochloosa, more than six years ago. Immediately after the deed was committed Logan, together with Anthony Whitfield, his accomplice, escaped, and neither have been heard of since up to the arrest of Logan on Wednesday.

The crime was committed on the night of July 31, 1899, at the turpentine camp of J. J. Haymans, Lochloosa, and it is said occurred over a misunderstanding in a game of craps. The men were employed by Mr. Haymans, and all had borne good characters up to the time of the tragedy. As is the custom of negroes employed upon turpentine farms and in lumber camps, the hands engaged in a crap game, with the result that Jones lost his life, and Logan and Whitfield have been fugitives from justice ever since.

Sheriff Fennell several months ago suspicioned the whereabouts of Logan and has been quietly weaving a web about him ever since. This web was completed and he wired the officers of the Georgia county to arrest the man, which was done.

Sheriff Fennell left Thursday for Folkston, where he will take charge of the prisoner and bring him to Gainesville, where he must at last stand before the throne of justice.

BOYS ARE WORKING.

Trio Rescued From Convict Camp by Elks Find Employment.

The three lads who were convicted of riding upon a railroad train of the Seaboard Air Line, and committed to the county convict camp at Fairbanks, and subsequently given their liberty as a Christmas present by payment of their fines by Gainesville Lodge No. 990, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, have secured employment in this city, and appear to be perfectly contented over their lot.

One thing is certain, the boys feel very grateful to the order which manifested sufficient interest in their case to come to their aid, and they will not forget the same. The offense for which they were committed it is said is not strictly an offense against the peace and dignity of the State, but more correctly an offense against the rules and regulations of the railroad company.

AN ENJOYABLE AFFAIR.

Methodist Sunday School and Friends Celebrate in Good Style.

A good crowd was present at the Methodist church Thursday evening to attend the Christmas festivities, despite the inclemency of the weather. A heavy rain fell during the day, and it was thought the condition of the streets would prevent many from attending, but this little drawback seemed to make little difference.

The program, which was of a musical and literary nature, was charmingly rendered by the little folks, after which the members of the Sabbath school and their families repaired to the Dormitory and enjoyed all kinds of good things to eat, which had been temptingly prepared for the occasion.

A Joint Installation.

A joint installation of officers of Gainesville Lodge No. 41, F. & A. M., and Gainesville Chapter No. 2, R. A. M., was held in Masonic hall Wednesday evening, at the conclusion of which a banquet was tendered in the supper-room of the lodge. The function was well attended, and until a late hour those present enjoyed themselves to the fullest extent. M. B. Saunders was in charge of the culinary department, which was an assurance that everything in the edible line was "just right."

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A DIFFERENCE IN LUNGS.

In the Edinburgh University three human lungs lie side by side. One is of an Eskimo and is snow white. In life, this would be ruddy with rich blood. Another is that of a coal-miner and is black. The other is of a town dweller and is a dirty slate gray, as are the lungs of most city residents. That's why consumption thrives in cities.

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Shot at Meeting of Union.

Chicago, Dec. 28—Thomas Kennedy, a delegate of the Painters' and Decorators' union, to the recent convention of the Interantional Federation of Labor at Pittsburg, was shot and fatally wounded at a meeting of the union by James McGuire, a member of the same organization. The men have been enemies for the past year on account of a desire of both to control the union, and out of this enmity the fatal quarrel arose.

Knocked Off of a Bridge.

Albany, Ga., Dec. 28.—L. N. Pierce, a middle-aged white man, of Unadilla, was knocked from the trestle of the Atlantic Coast Line across the Flint river by a switch engine, and received injuries that will probably prove fatal. Pierce fell a distance of 35 feet, and struck partly in the river. His nose and one arm were fractured, and he received internal injuries, which, it is feared, will prove fatal.

Stolen Madonna Returned.

New York, Dec. 28.—A herald dispatch from Florence says that the precious Madonna del Popolo, by Lippo Memno, which was stolen some time ago from the church of Santa Maria de Servi, has been recovered at Sienna. It was found Monday in the entrance of the deaf and dumb typographical establishment at that place, but was not recognized until taken to the city hall.

Central Secures Stillmore Line.

Swainsboro, Ga., Dec. 28.—A report has reached here that Hon George M. Brinson, owner and president of the Stillmore Air Line, has sold that road to the Central of Georgia railroad, the consideration being in the vicinity of $400,000. This deal is said to have been consummated last Saturday, and the new owner is to assume charge on January 1, 1906.

Louisville Courthouse Damaged.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 28.—Fire damaged the Jefferson county courthouse, and for a time threatened the complete destruction of the edifice. The loss is estimated at $25,000, with no insurance. Hard work by the firemen and employes prevented any serious damage to the accumulated records of a century of litigation.

Everything Normal at Shanghai.

Shanghai, Dec. 28.—British Assessor Twyman, resumed the sitting of the mixed court today with the police in attendance but without any additional guard. Everything here is in normal condition.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth

Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Seaboard Parlor Cars.

The Seaboard Air Line operates buffet parlor cars between Waldo and Tampa on train leaving Waldo that connects with the morning train from Gainesville.

Civil Service Turned Down.

Macon, Ga., Dec. 28.—Macon city council has heard an adverse report from the fire and police committee on a petition filed six months ago recoommending civil service for the fire and police department and after a brief discussion deferred final action. Certain requirements in placing men in these departments have been agitated and the matter has been warmly discussed.

Freight Car Kills Man.

Decatur, Ala., Dec. 28—Luther Pitt, the 18-year-old son of Dr. J. T. Pitt, postmaster of Florence, Ala, lost his life here under the wheels of a freight car. The accident took place on a Louisville and Nashville railroad switch track on Second avenue, near the line between Decatur and New Decatur.

Wealth of the Ancient Romans.

Some of the Romans seem to have been very "solid," while others were fast to a degree not known nowadays. When Caesar was killed on the ides of March, Antony owed $1,600,000, which he paid before the kalends of April out of the public money and squandered, according to Adams, $28,000,000. Caesar himself, before he set out for Spain, was in debt to the extent of $10,000,000. Lentulus possessed $16,145,830. Claudius, a freedman, saved $12,500,000. Augustus obtained from the testamentary disposition of his friends—some people will leave their fortunes to their sovereigns—no less than $161,458,330. Tiberius left at his death the enormous sum of $108,964,380, which Caligula is said to have squandered in a single year. Vespasian estimated at his ascension that the money which the maintenance of the commonwealth required was $1,764,580,000.

The Whitest City In the World.

There cannot possibly be a whiter city than Cadiz unless it be built of snow. The best way to approach the port is to take a trip on one of the small steamers which ply between the ports of Morocco and Spain. As you near the coast you see in front of you a white mass, which appears to be floating upon the water, just as you are. The first thought of a foreigner is that he is in sight of an iceberg. The white mass, glittering in the sun and rendered more dazzling by the blue sea and sky, looks exactly like a monster ice mountain partly melted, so that outlines of castles and hill appear upon it, but only for a second does the illusion last, for you know there are no icebergs in that part, and you are quickly informed that you are looking at Cadiz. No other town in the world presents such a magic appearance.

No Science of History.

"The moving finger writes and having writ moves on." We can no more stop or guide its writing than could the wild man whose relics we look for in the drift of another geological period than ours. What is still more humiliating, practically we can no more tell what it is going to write even tomorrow than could that cave dweller. In truth, there is no science of history. Conceive a man more learned than Freeman in history, greater in science than Darwin, deeper versed in human character than George Eliot—yet he could not even roughly draw the map of Europe as it may be a little time hence. The heap of letters which God put in the hand of his empire builder, bidding him "make with them what word he could," are still in constant disarray.—London Saturday Review.

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Healthy Motherhood

Happy, healthy motherhood is the noblest purpose of every true woman's life, and yet, through derangements caused by female disorders, many women are denied the blessing of childbirth altogether, or it is made an ordeal of terror and a menace to life.

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Southbound Read down.	SCHEDULE	Northbound Read up.
Leave 3:30 pm	Jacksonville	Arrive 2:00 am
8:45 pm	Palatka	Leave 8:00 pm
3:00 am	Astor	3:30 pm
4:30 am	St. Francis	2:00 pm
..	Beresford (DeLand)	1:00 pm
Arrive 8:30 am	Sanford	9:30 am
10:00 am	Enterprise	10:00 am

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We have nothing to conceal; no secrets to hide! We publish the formulas of all our medicines. You will find these in Ayer's Almanac for 1906; or write us and we will send them to you. Then show the formulas to your doctor, and ask him what he thinks of them. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

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LOCHLOOSA TO HAVE MAGNIFICENT HOTEL

Party of Capitalists to Erect Modern Hostelry There.

WILL MAKE FINE RESORT

Surrounded With All the Beauties of Nature, Owners of Property Realize That a Modern Building With All Conveniences Would Pay.

The Sun has information from a source which is supposed to be authentic, that an immense hotel will be erected on the William Neff estate, east of Lochloosa lake, and the grounds, which are as fine as can be found in the United States from a standpoint of natural beauty, will be transformed into an earthly paradise.

The information states that ample capital is behind this movement, and that the contract for this immense building will be let within the next thirty days. It is understood that the material to be used will be the famous McCarroll stone, a patent of Robert McCarroll of Jacksonville, and which is being largely employed throughout this country in the making of fine buildings Mr. McCarroll, who is now in the city, was approached in the matter, but refused to either confirm or deny the report. "While I feel reasonably sure there is 'something in the wind,'" he said, "I have found out by long experience that it does not do to talk too much until you actually have your finger on the trigger, and are in a position to shoot. I will say, however, that I believe there is sufficient interest and capital in the venture to make a go, and the party who gave you the information is probably in better position to know definitely what is being done than I."

The spot suggested for this mammoth hotel is an ideal one. Surrounded by the most romantic scenery on the one hand, and bordered by that beautiful sheet of water, Lochloosa lake, on the other, it goes without saying that this resort would prove most popular, especially since there is nothing of the kind in this section.

NORTH GAINESVILLE HALL.

Music and Literary Entertainment Will be Given Tonight.

The musical and literary entertainment to be given at North Gainesville Hall this evening will be free to all and a general invitation is hereby extended to the public.

After the rendition of the following program, the committee will serve oysters, either raw or stewed, the proceeds of which will be used to paint the hall. A good attendance is therefore solicited.

Program.

Piano Solo ..... National Airs
Mr. Albert Weber.

Recitation ..... "When My Dolly Died"
Willie May Ramsey.

Recitation .....
Pearl Lewis.

Piano Solo ..... Pas Redouble
Mrs. Becker.

Recitation .....
Miss Mary Baird.

Violin Duet ..... Schubert's Serenade
Misses Richards and Hampton.

Recitation .....
Miss Grace Wolfe.

Piano Duet..The King of the Carnival
Mesdames Reeker and Graves.

Dialogue ..... "The Doctor's Visit"
Mattie Maude Ramsey and Orion Wells.

Reading ..... Selected
Miss Ethel Webster.

Chorus .....
"Hark! the Merry Birds Are Singing"
Young Ladies.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S.

Call the Handsome Embossed Cards at The Sun Job Office.

We have some very handsome embossed Christmas and New Year'scards, on which we will print your name for Christmas or New Year's calls. They are very fine and if you desire them you should put in your order early. Call and see samples at the counting room.

Woodmen's Oyster Supper.

The local camp, Woodmen of the World, participated in a most enjoyable oyster supper at the conclusion of the regular meeting, in the P. O. S. of A. hall, East Union street, Thursday night. There was a good crowd present and the luscious bivalves, which were tempting served in any style were greatly relished. The Woodmen never do things by halves.

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W. M. JOHNSON, Druggist,
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MELROSE TOWN ELECTION.

This Event Will be Pulled Off on Tuesday, January 2, 1906.

The annual election for town officers of the town of Melrose will be held on Tuesday, January 2, but inasmuch as there is apparently little or no competition, nothing of a very exciting nature is promised.

As will be seen by announcement elsewhere in this paper, F. H. Sutton, a worthy citizen of Melrose, aspires to the position of marshal. Mr. Sutton's friends state that he is perfectly competent to fill the position, and if elected will do his duty with fairness and impartiality.

Presbyterian Sunday School Entertainment.

The Christmas entertainment for the children and young people of the Presbyterian Sunday school will be held at the opera house this evening, beginning at 7 o'clock. All the members of the Sunday school, their parents and friends are invited.

The Cotton Situation.

Reports from the Alachua section bear information that, according to agreement, a large majority of the planters are holding their cotton for a higher price, but a few have released their belongings in this staple. There are about 1,500 bales of cotton in the Alachua and Bland sections.

Important Notice.

Gainesville, Fla., December 1, 1905. We wish to give timely notice to our patrons, both gas and electric, that we have found it absolutely necessary to adopt a new system. Beginning on the first day of January, 1906, we will dispense with a collector and adopt the system of mailing the bills to every customer and all bills will be due and payable at our office on or before the 10th day of the month or 10 per cent will be added, and if not paid on or before the 20th inst. the gas and electric service will be discontinued and one dollar charge will be collected for reconnecting service. We are not responsible if bills are not received through the postoffice, as they will be regularly mailed. This rule applies to every gas and electric light consumer. Therefore be governed accordingly, as this system will be rigidly enforced and the following rates for electric current will be in effect January 1st, 1906:

50,000 watts and under, 15c per M watts.
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Special rates made for power purposes.

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Fuel gas, $2 per M.

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Respectfully,
GAINESVILLE GAS & ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY.

Low Rates to New Orleans and Return Via Atlantic Coast Line.

The Atlantic Coast Line announces that it will sell tickets from all points on its lines to New Orleans, La., and return on December 27, 28, 29, 1905, at the rate of one first-class fare, plus 25 cents for the round trip. Final limit of all tickets will be January 6th, 1906, prior to midnight of which passenger must reach original starting point. For further information see Atlantic Coast Line agents or write Frank C. Boylston, District Passenger Agent, Jacksonville, Fla.

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THE PUBLIC SCHOOL WILL OPEN TUESDAY

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FALL TERM RECORD-BREAKER

The Enrollment Reached Nearly Half a Thousand, With Prospects of Good Increase for the Spring Term—New Departments Added.

After a vacation covering a period of about ten days, the University High School will open for the spring term on Tuesday, January 2d, 1906.

This institution enjoyed for the fall term the largest enrollment and most successful season in its existence, the patrons being pleased and Principal Sheats and faculty feeling gratified at the efficiency of the work. The enrollment reached 493 and many departments were added, including a high school department under the principalship of Prof. Tom F. McBeath, one of the recognized educators not only of the State, but of the South.

The approaching term promises to be equally as successful, with a possible larger enrollment than the fall term, as many families have recently come to the city for the purpose of giving their children the advantages of the school facilities afforded here.

Christmas Holiday Rates.

The Atlantic Coast Line, to give every one an opportunity to visit their homes and friends, will sell tickets account of the Christmas holidays between all points at one and one-third fares plus twenty-five (25) cents for the round trip. These tickets will be on sale December 22d, 23d, 24th, 25th, 30th, 31st and January 1st, final limit of same January 4th.

For students and teachers these same rates will apply with the exception that they will be on sale December 17th to 24th, inclusive. These tickets will only be sold to students upon presentation of a certificate signed by the principals and presidents of the various institutions.

All of those who have daughters coming here Christmas should call on Atlantic Coast Line agents or write Frank C. Boylston, District Passenger Agent, Jacksonville, Fla.

Failed.

All efforts have failed to find a better remedy for coughs, colds and lung troubles than Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold. J. N. Patterson, Nashua, Iowa, writes: "Last winter I had a bad cold on my lungs and tried at least half a dozen advertised cough medicines and had treatment from two physicians without getting any benefit. A friend recommended Foley's Honey and Tar and two-thirds of a bottle cured me. I consider it the greatest cough and lung medicine in the world." J. W. McCollum & Company.

Bet Hearse on Grover Cleveand.

Syracuse, N. Y., Dec. 28.—John McCarthy, undertaker, is dead at his home here, aged 59 years. He was known throughout the country as an enthusiastic Democrat. In 1884 he bet everything he possessed, even his hearse, on Grover Cleveland. He was a warm supporter and personal friend of William Jennings Bryan.

The Requisite of Beauty.

The first requisite of beauty is a clear complexion. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup clears a sallow, blotched complexion, as it stimulates the liver and bowels, and the eyes become bright and clear. You owe it to your friends to take it if your complexion is bad. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and it is very pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. J. W. McCollum & Company.

Notice.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Marshal of the town of Melrose and hereby solicit the support of the voters of the coming election, promising a full and faithful discharge of the duties of the office if elected.

Respectfully,
F. H. SUTTON.

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The woodpile is often neglected in order to let the Christmas tree prosper.

The reason why some scandals look so one-sided is because only one side is made public.

Castro has settled with France all except paying over the money, which France now wants.

Call money ran up to 80 per cent in New York day before yesterday. But it didn't cause much excitement.

The Czar and wife are now wearing their old clothes and putting their money in bank. They may need it.

An earthquake is reported from Eastern Turkey. Southern Turkey received quite a shock the past week.

"Plain Dealing" is what the President gets at his home in Albermarle county, Va. No turning Jacks from the bottom.

The President of Santo Domingo is said to be a prisoner of his own troops. He might send a message of condolence to the Czar.

For killing two white men you are sentenced to life, and for killing one colored man you are sentenced to death, from the Escambia county courts.

If the United States Senators and their friends continue to gobble up the public lands at the rate they have of late there will not be much work for the receivers.

A union depot would be a move in the right direction for our city. Let the good work go on. The matter should not stop now. There are plenty of good sites.

The pure food the Jacksonville Exposition is feeding the State press should be investigated by the commission. There seems to be a lack of nutriment in the stuff.

The Sun furnished work for a large number of people during the holiday rush. The advertisements of the merchants made it necessary for them to employ an army of clerks.

A negro attempted to assault a white woman in Abbeville, Ga., when she gave such a scream that he never stopped running until he reached the Flint river, which he swam across.

The editors of The Lakeland News and Tallahassee True Democrat are urging the editors to write their own editorials. Both these gentlemen are able to write their own editorials, and able ones at that, but once in a while when a fellow has to grind out six days in the week, he feels the need of "The Editor's Friend."

There is a chance for Gainesville to be supplied with what she needs—more residences—if the Jacksonville Development Company plan works. The people of Gainesville are acquainted with the men behind this enterprise. They should move in the matter at once and make an effort to advance the city's interests.

THE BUCKMAN BILL.

The Sun has been as modest as it could under the circumstances during the discussion of the Buckman school law and its test by the Supreme Court of the State of Florida, and has refrained from any abuse of those who expressed their opinions regarding the measure, although some of them displayed considerable venom, while others were lacking in argument.

Now that the question has been settled we only wish to show the sentiment expressed by many of the State papers, which view the matter from the standpoint of those who desire to promote the educational interests of our commonwealth and are anxious to have the State keep pace in this direction with our other lines of advancement. We therefore publish the following:

The Supreme Court of Florida has declared the Buckman bill constitutional. The Supreme Court is the judicial body authorized to pass on the constitutionality of all bills pertaining to the constitution of Florida, which is the supreme law of the State.

The objections that have been raised in regard to the Buckman bill should now cease to be expressed by the press of Florida. Those papers that have been raising the most strenuous objections should now cease their harping. The personal prejudice and personal aggrandizement that is so difficult to rise above should now be laid aside and the good of the entire State of Florida should now be considered.

Some towns in the State of Florida have opposed the Buckman bill because they considered it a radical measure that was railroaded through the Legislature.

The Record on other occasions opposed the Buckman bill as a railroad measure, but since the Supreme Court of Florida has declared it constitutional it should be the sentiment, and no doubt will be of the press of Florida and the citizenry of this State.

We take this position because we realize it to be the position that will finally conserve the best interest of the State. Let the question be settled finally.

The educational facilities have too long been unsettled and the press of the State should abide by the decision of the Supreme Court.

Intervening time has healed the wounds of prejudice and the towns of Florida have, or should have, laid aside personal prejudice. In an unsettled condition the educational facilities of Florida would not be in a condition to consider the ideals of the State and afford the young manhood of the State the opportunities that are so essential to the final upbuilding of the State, and the industrial and educational development that will undoubtedly result.

The papers that have been so strenuously opposing the Buckman bill in an effulgency of hot air should now cease their egotistical desire for spurious notoriety—should quit.—Polk County Record.

The Supreme Court of Florida on Tuesday handed down its long-expected decision in the Buckman law case, sustaining the demurrer to the information in the nature of quo warranto and quashing the alternative writ.

The opinion by Chief Justice Shackleford, is quite long and very exhaustive, and was concurred in by all the of other Justices of the Court except Mr. Justice Cockrell, who was disqualified, and Mr. Justice Taylor, who took no part in the consideration of the case, having excused himself "because of local interests involved."

Thus conclusively ends a litigation which, whatever may have been its moving spirit and purpose, and however much its inauguration may have been deplored by some, was welcomed by all thoughtful citizens who desired the stability of the educational conditions in the State authoritatively established at the earliest possible moment.

The functions of the Board of Control in perfecting the system defined by the Buckman law will now be capable of untrammeled execution, and the cooperation in this work of every educational authority in the State may be confidently relied upon.—Tallahassee True Democrat.

Last Tuesday the Supreme Court rendered its decision in the matter of the legality of the Buckman school law, which had been before that tribunal for argument for the two weeks preceding The court held that the law is perfectly valid and constitutional and thus settles a question of the utmost importance to the educational interests of the State of Florida.

The decision will be received with general satisfaction by the people of the whole State, with the exception, of course, of those who had local and what might be called selfish interests involved. When it was first proposed the wisdom of the measure was questioned by many, owing to the confusion in our educational system, the enactment of such a radical measure would entail, but after the bill became a law and the old order of things was thereby swept away, there was general recognition of the fact that interference with its operations could serve no purpose except to produce further demoralization and damaging delay. There has been general disapproval of the course of those who have been active in bringing the matter into the courts and the decision of the latter will please the people as a whole.—Lakeland News.

Now that the Florida Supreme Court has declared that the Buckman educational bill is constitutional, it is hoped that the Board of Control will not be hampered again in proceeding with the provisions of the law in establishing the State University in Gainesville.—St. Lucie Tribune.

Tampa has asked that a half-million dollars be appropriated by Congress for her great Isthmian Canal Exposition, and The Wauchula Advocate says that if Tampa can get the counties of Florida to contribute a million each, the show may possibly be a howling success.—Bartow Courier-Informant.

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Malt Whiskey	3 75	5 00	9 50
Peach Brandy	3 75	5 00	9 50
Apple Brandy	3 75	5 00	9 50
Holland Gin	2 80	4 25	7 25
Geneva Gin	3 75	5 00	9 50
North Carolina Corn	2 65	4 00	7 00
Mountain Corn	3 75	5 00	9 50
Jamaica Rum	2 80	4 25	7 25
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NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF FLORIDA

Brief Happenings From Various Sections of State.

THE MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS

Transpiring in "The Land of Flowers." Things "Boiled Down" to Suit the Busy Reader—Items of Interest to All Classes.

The electric lights at St. Augustine will be turned on January 10th.

The DeSoto County News is better than ever, and the fire seems to have done it some good.

The sheriff of Dade county is to be furnished a couple of bloodhounds. Better make it half a dozen.

Lake City has let the contract for her cement sidewalks. Good cement walks are the thing and Lake City is wise.

In speaking of the opening of the Ocala House, Saturday night, The Star says that "the table was an epicurean poem."

Tallahassee has two candidates up for mayor, F. C Gilmore and Dr. Henry E. Palmer, and a warm contest is expected.

The news that Tampa had a case of smallpox is denied. There are no perquisites with smallpox, so Tampa doesn't want it.

The Congregational ladies of Melbourne have raised the money to pay the debt on the parsonage kitchen and got money to spare.

Mrs. Joseph Thomas of Starke was found dead in bed Christmas morning. She was 83 years old and had been in poor health.

The Jacksonville Exposition will have a big day on Tuesday, January 9th, when the wholesale grocers will have a day of it for their patrons.

There are now about 400 men employed by the East Coast Hotel Co. at Miami, who will soon be put to work on the extension of the railroad to Key West.

In a colored saloon row at Pensacola Monday a negro named Robinson fired a bullet at one named Evans. The ball simply tore the scalp but never cracked the skull.

The coroner's jury in the case of Capt. J. J. Mitchell, stabbed by a negro at St. Petersburg, claim that Mitchell killed the negro before the mob got in its work.

Suit has been instituted against the city of St. Augustine by the First National Bank of that city for $11,000, and the papers have been filed in the clerk's office. The suit is brought to force payment on warrants held by the bank and which at the present time are bearing no interest.

The Jacksonville football team went to Savannah, Christmas, and got into a row over the game and it was forfeited to the "guber grabbet," 6 to 0. Savannah refused to whack the gate receipts and the Jays will sue.

The dress of Miss Annie Allen of Pensacola caught on fire while she was standing near the grate on Tuesday morning, and before the dress could be torn from her she was badly burned about the hands and arms. She will recover.

The St. Augustine Meteor says that the only way to stop the growth of the water hyacinth is to shut off the breeding grounds. Boom the creeks and branches of the main river or stream and make contracts with persons adjacent thereto to keep such creeks and branches free of the pest and the problem is solved.

Alex Sparks, a negro hackman, narrowly escaped lynching at the hands of a party of infuriated white men at Tampa Tuesday afternoon. The negro struck James Gafford, a white driver of a furniture wagon, over the head with a heavy piece of iron rod, inflicting what may prove a fatal wound. The negro ran, but was overtaken by half a dozen white men, who dragged him into an alley, threatening to kill him. A crowd gathered and the men finally delivered the prisoner to the police.

A colored man with happiness in his heart and a jug in his hand came down the street about 7 o'clock last night. Just as his foot struck the sidewalk at Munroe & Chamblise' bank the jug escaped his hand, hit the pavement, shattered and at least three quarts of liquor that would have taken the hair off a dog's back wasted its fire harmlessly on the pavement. As the liquor spilt the joy in the darkey's heart evaporated and he passed on, the spring gone from his footsteps and the light from his eye, leaving the shattered fragments and the smell to tell the story of his blasted hopes.—Ocala Star, December 26.

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NEWS TERSELY TOLD.

President Eliott, of Harvard, has declared himself in favor of stopping inter-collegiate football for one year in order that the game may be modified and a reasonable game devised and demonstrated in practice.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor will occur Feb. 2, next. It will be commemorated by nearly 70,000 societies and by the three and a half million members.

Forty million dollars will be asked of the New York legislature for work on the thousand-ton barge canal during 1906, according to the second annual report of the state engineer and the surveyor.

W. D. Ireland, a prominent contractor and a member of the town council of Doerun, Ga., had two fingers blown from his right hand by the premature explosion of a cannon cracker.

Charles Gibson, a negro driver for the Empire Coal company of Macon, Ga., was knocked from his wagon while passing under a bridge on Bay street. His neck was broken.

John Alexander Dowie, of Zion City, Ill., has arrived at Port Antonio, Jamaica, on the steamer Admiral Dewel. His health is somewhat improved.

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WOMAN LEAPED INTO DEEP WELL

She Left a Sick Bed Where She Had Been Closely Watched.

Macon, Ga., Dec. 28.—After leaving her sick bed some time between the hours of midnight and 3 o'clock and jumping headlong into a well where she remained fully two hours, Mrs. Sallie Forest is now lying unconscious, while her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Moore, and their friends are astonished at her miraculous escape from immediate death. It is believed she will recover.

Mrs. Forest has been at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Moore for over a year. During a considerable portion of the time she has been ill, and they had given close attention. It was while guarding against the onslaught of disease that the occupants of the home missed her from her bed. A hurried examination showed that she had made her exit by the room door and had unlocked the lattice doors at the well. She then climbed over the curb and fell fell into the water, which was 17 feet deep.

SERENADER IS ASSAULTED.

Son of West Virginia Legislator in a Critical Condition.

Bethany, W. Va., Dec. 28.—Byron Scott, aged 18 years, son of C. B. Scott, a member of the West Virginia legislature, lies at his home in a critical condition from the effects of an assault alleged to have been made on him last night by John and Charles Whitesett.

John Whitesett, who returned home with his bride last night, was serenaded by a crowd of Bethany college students, who made the night hideous with pans and kettles. After several vain attempts to have the serenaders disperse, the Whitesett brothers, John, armed with a revolver, and Charles, with a poker, attacked the students, who fled in all directions.

The Whitesett brothers were arrested today, charged with felonious assault and carrying concealed weapons, and after waiving a hearing, were held in $500 bail for criminal court.

Cured Paralysis.

W. F. Baily, P. O. True, Texas, writes: "My wife had been suffering five years with paralysis in her arm, when I was persuaded to use Ballard's Snow Liniment, which cured her alright. I have also used it for old sores, frostbites and skin eruptions. It does the work." Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Supreme Court Justice Dead.

Oakland, Calif., Dec. 27.—Justice Walter VanDyke, of the supreme court of California, died yesterday after an illness of only twenty-four hours. Justice VanDyke was born in New York state in 1823. He was a resident of California since 1849.

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NEGROES SHOT TO DEATH.

White Merchant Was Killed by Blacks, Who Were Shot by Mob.

Columbia, S. C., Dec. 28.—News of a double lynching at Barnwell has been received here.

Sheriff Creech has wired Governor Heyward that the affair was brutal murder; that helpless prisoners were butchered in open daylight, and that officers were guilty of dereliction of duty.

H. S. Craddock, a well known white merchant, was killed by Frank and John Deloache, negroes, who were arrested by the constable and placed in a lockup. The men were taken out and shot to death with guns and pistols on Friday. The news of the lynching was suppressed.

Sheriff Creech is preparing to make arrests, and Governor Heyward announced he will sustain the sheriff.

Coughing Spell Caused Death.

"Harry Duckwell, aged 25 years, choked to death early yesterday morning at his home in the presence of his wife and child. He contracted a slight cold a few days ago and paid but little attention to it. Yesterday morning he was seized with a fit of coughing which continued for some time. His wife sent for a physician, but before he could arrive another coughing spell came on and Duckwell died from suffocation.—St. Louis Globe Democrat, December 1st. 1901." Ballard's Horehound Syrup would have saved him. 25c, 50c and $1. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Little Girl Leaves Home.

Swainsboro, Ga., Dec. 28.—Sallie Edenfield, a little girl of Oscar Edenfield, ran away Saturday from her home at McLeod, this county, and made her way to Savannah, where she was placed in charge of an officer by a passenger on the train who discovered the little girl's plight. She refused to go back home and was placed in charge of the Woman's Christian Temperance union, of Savannah, who will find her a home. She gave her reason for running away, the cruelty of her father.

Torture of a Preacher.

The story of the torture of Rev. O. D. Moore, pastor of the Baptist church of Harpersville, N. Y., will interest you. He says: "I suffered agonies, because of a persistent cough, resulting from the grip. I had to sleep sitting up in bed. I tried many remedies without relief until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which entirely cured my cough and saved me from consumption." A grand cure for diseased conditions of throat and lungs. At all druggists; price 50c and $1.00, guaranteed. Trial bottles free.

To Be Allowed Bail.

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 28.—O. A. Little, a white man who is confined in the county jail under a two-year sentence for the killing of W. S. Sweeny, president of the United Mine Workers' local at Johns, will be allowed bail at an early date, it is understood. Little's case was reversed in the last batch of decisions handed down by the supreme court of Alabama.

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"I was much afflicted with sciatica," writes Ed C. Nud, Iowaville, Sedgwick Co., Kan., "going about on crutches and suffering a deal of pain. I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment, which relieved me. I used three 50c bottles. It is the greatest liniment I ever used. Have recommended it to a number of persons. All express themselves as being benefited by it. I now walk without crutches, able to perform a great deal of light labor on the farm." 25c, 50c and $1. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Expect to Crush Revolt.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 27—1:25 p. m.—An inspired statement in the Clovo today the government expects the revolt at Moscow to be completely crushed within four days. The duration of the rising is explained by the small number of troops available. Many of the soldiers necessarily were employed in guarding the government buildings leaving a comparatively small number available to cope with the insurgents over the wide area of the disturbance. Fresh troops have now arrived, and the end is said to be near.

Accident on Central Train.

Barnesville, Ga., Dec. 28—The Central of Georgia train for Atlanta had an accident about 3 miles beyond the city limits. The train was 30 minutes late, and was going at a high rate of speed, when the front trucks of the tender jumped the track. The train ran about 100 yards before it was stopped. There was no damage to the coaches. The engine was disabled and the track badly torn up by the trucks.

Mistaken Signals Caused Wreck.

Cincinnati, Dec. 28.—Dave Hall, of Dayton, O., was crushed to death and $5,000 worth of property destroyed in the collision of two extra freight trains on the Pennsylvania railway. Mistaken signals caused the wreck. Fire added to the confusion and the engines were welded together by the impact. Two hours were required to extricate the body of Hall. Passenger traffic was delayed for several hours.

Doctors Could Not Help Her.

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QUEER PROBLEMS OF LAW.

Cases With Which English Judges and Lawyers Have Struggled.

Hundreds of years of test cases have not yet elucidated all the possible points of difficulty in the English law.

Here is a remarkable problem with which the Blackburn lawyers have just been confronted: An English gentleman had twin sons who were born within a few minutes of each other. He made a will that his property in Australia should go to whichever of the two sons arrived at the age of twenty-one first.

The younger of the two emigrated to Australia, while the other one remained in England, and the former was still in the antipodes at the time of his coming of age. Now, Australian time is some hours in advance of Greenwich, and therefore the young man out there was twenty-one before his elder brother at home. Which of these two brothers is legally entitled to the property? The question has not yet been decided, and in the meantime readers may exercise their own acumen upon it.

Are eggs eggs, or are only hens' eggs eggs? This may seem a ridiculous question, but nice shades of meaning are involved, and a case which turned upon it went through two or three courts of law. A lady sent an order for a dozen eggs to a dairyman, and he sent her ducks' eggs. She sent them back as not being what she ordered, but he refused to take them. She, in turn, declined to keep them, and, some time elapsing between their journeys from the house to the shop, the eggs went bad, and eventually the shopkeeper sued the lady for 1s. 6d., their value.

The county court judge ordered her to pay, declaring that ducks' eggs were as much eggs as any others. But the lady appealed, and king's bench reversed the decision on the ground that when a party ordered eggs hens' eggs were meant, and if any other contention were admitted any kind of eggs might be sent, such as pigeons', canaries' or even rattlesnakes'. Ducks' eggs, it was decided, were not eggs in the ordinary meaning of the term.

Are the grandchildren of a man also his children? In the legal sense this question is not so absurd as it looks, and some time ago it was most seriously and laboriously contended in the courts that according to act of parliament they were.

The particular act in question, passed in the reign of the late Queen Victoria, laid it down that "the father and the grandfather, the mother and the grandmother and the children of any poor person, being of sufficient ability, shall relieve and maintain any such poor person."

The argument was that, according to the context, grandchildren were to be reckoned as children for this purpose, just as grandparents were reckoned as parents. On the other side it was argued that if grandchildren were children then great-grandchildren were children also and that a man might in this way be called upon to support his father and mother, his four grandparents, his eight great-grandparents and as many grandchildren and great-grandchildren as he might be lucky or unlucky enough to possess.

Is skimmed milk milk? A man asked for a glass of milk to drink and was given skimmed milk, and the purveyor was fined for it. But in a higher court the decision was reversed, it being decided at the time that skimmed milk was really much more milk than milk as it was not skimmed, since the latter contained something that was not milk at all—that is, cream.—London Tit-Bits.

Literary Coincidences.

How strange are literary coincidences occasionally is illustrated in the case of Thackeray and Dumas. Thackeray says: "I came near writing a book on the same subject, 'Les Trois Mousquetaires,' and taking M. d'Artagnan for my hero. D'Artagnan was a real character of the age of Louis XIV. and in his own memoirs. I remember picking up a dingy copy of them on an old bookstall in London, price sixpence, and intended to make something of it. But Dumas got ahead of me. He snaps up everything." A coincidence quite as remarkable occurred with Sir Conan Doyle for central figure. He learned while spending a holiday in a mountain inn in Switzerland that during the winter months for some reason two men remained in occupation. For four or five months they were isolated from the rest of the world. Suppose one of them went mad or committed suicide etc. The possibilities were endless. He forthwith determined to embody the idea in a story. On his way home he happened to pick up a book of tales by Maupassant. There in it, under the title "L'Auberge," he found himself forestalled in every particular.

The Lightning Cure.

"There's a story of a man who was cured of rheumatism by being struck by lightning."

"I'll risk de rheumatism every time," said Brother Dickey. "I don't want no doctor what's as quick as dat!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Destiny has turned many a man down while he was waiting for something to turn up.—Success Magazine.

FIRST IN TIBET.

Adventures of the Explorers Moorcroft and Hearsey.

In the year 1812 Tibet was entered by two explorers, Moorcroft and Hearsey, the first Englishmen to penetrate the forbidden land. Hearsey describes one of their experiences at Daba: "After breakfast this day (July 4) Umar Singh sent word to us to come and pay our respects to the wazir's son in a council assembled with the lama and the son of the deba. We proceeded about 9 o'clock, attended by the pundit and three or four other servants, carrying the presents for these people. The presents consisted of three yards of superfine scarlet broadcloth, some sugar and spice, all arranged on a brass plate. We first entered a gate, over against which was fastened a very large and handsome dog, something of the Newfoundland breed. We then had to stoop to enter another door, filthy enough, stench abominable. We then proceeded up a few steps of earth and stones, all broken. We turned to the right and entered a small antechamber, to the right of which was the women's room.

"A greasy, filthy purdah was then lifted up, and we entered the parlor. Here we found a clean mirzal, or poor woolen carpet, spread for us in the center of the room. In front was a vacant seat, opposite to which our presents were placed. On the right sat the lama on a cushion; before him was placed a kind of tea poy (three legged table), on which were two wooden varnished plates, painted and gilt. There was also a fire pan. The old gentleman appeared about seventy years old, had a shrewd countenance, said very little and eyed us all the time. He was dressed in a coarse woolen red garment, the manufacture of the country, greasy and dirty in the extreme. This was the bishop of this see.

"He had another priest sitting to his right, more black, more filthy and more ugly than himself. Opposite to me sat the son of the deba, a dark, but sensible, though rather heavy looking, person, aged about twenty-nine or thirty. He had a paper in his hand at our entrance, as if in the act of writing. He was seated on a leather cushion stuffed with wool, over which was a carpet; before him was a sort of small table, on which were two of the wooden plates before mentioned, a china cup, an inkstand, a wooden pen and a knife. To his right lay a long silver pipe. He was dressed in a red, blue, green and yellow striped woolen gown."

Very suspicious were the old priest and his fellows, though a letter from a neighboring seat of government explained to them that Moorcroft and Hearsey really were harmless pilgrims and not the dreaded Firingis and requested that they might be permitted to proceed. On the next day, however, matters were again somewhat complicated by the discovery that Hearsey wore half boots of the English pattern. When the natives discovered this they thought that something was surely wrong. Moorcroft, in his narrative, told of this incident with evident relish, he himself having taken the precaution of having turned up toes added to his own shoes.

Furious Fighting.

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It may not be known that the familiar soutane or cassock of a Catholic priest was the garment habitually worn by all gentlemen up to comparatively recent times, though it was not always necessarily black. There is a portrait of Dante wearing one of instep length, made on an unmistakable "sun ray" pattern. And long gowns were not confined to gentlemen. The habit of a Franciscan friar was the garment worn by the shepherds of Umbria in St. Francis' time and probably for centuries before and after it.

There is evidence enough of this in our own times, if one travels outside the narrow limits of western civilization. The man or woman who goes east will see skirted men everywhere—Arabs, Cashmeries, Punjabies, Burmans, Chinese, Japanese, Malays, to mention only a few. The present bifurcate system of western Europe, though it seems to the untraveled eye as fixed and unalterable as the pyramids, is but a passing fashion in the history of male attire.—Grand Magazine.

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11 40a	10 40p	Lv Jesup Ar	6 20a	5 40p	10 45p	10 30p	Lv Jesup, Ga So Ry Ar	6 10a	6 10a
1 30p	12 15a	Lv Savannah Ar	4 50a	4 00p	4 00a	3 00a	Ar Macon, Ga. So Ry Lv	1 45a	1 30a
6 55p	6 00a	Ar Columbia Lv	1 15a	12 10p	6 30a	5 20a	Ar Atlanta, Ga So Ry Lv	11 15p	10 20p
10 20p	9 55a	Ar Charlotte Lv	9 50p	8 35a	10 35a	7 30a	Ar Rome, Ga., So Ry Lv	9 05p	5 20p
1 13a	12 51p	Ar Greensb'r Lv	7 03p	5 50a	11 28a	8 25a	Ar Dalton, Ga. So Ry Lv	7 45p	4 10p
2 21a	2 10p	Ar Danville Lv	5 37p	4 54a	1 00p	9 45a	Ar Chattanooga, S R Lv	6 30p	3 00p
6 28a	6 42p	Ar Richmond Lv	12 30p	11 30p		5 30p	Ar Lexington, Q & C Lv	10 55a	
4 34a	4 20p	Ar Lynchbu'g Lv	3 30p	2 38p		7 40p	Ar Cincinnati O. Q&C Lv	8 30a	
6 18a	6 10p	Ar Charl'tsv'e Lv	1 48p	12 45a		8 40p	Lv Cincinnati Big F'r Ar	7 10a	
9 50a	9 50p	Ar Washin't'n Lv	10 51a	9 50p		7 10a	Ar Chicago, Big Four Lv	8 30p	
11 30a	11 35p	Ar Baltimore Lv	6 12a	8 22p		8 35p	Lv Cincinnati, Pa L's Ar	6 45a	
1 45p	2 35a	Ar W Phila Lv	3 35p	5 55p		7 10a	Ar Chicago, Pa Lines Lv	8 40p	
4 15p	6 30a	Ar New York Lv	12 10a	3 25p		8 45p	Lv Cincinnati, CH&D Ar	7 40a	
						7 22a	Ar Chicago, Monon R Lv	9 09p	
						9 45p	Lv Cincinnati, CH&D Ar	7 00a	
						5 20a	Ar Toledo, O., CH&D Lv	11 40p	
						7 25a	Ar Detroit, Mich. PM Lv	10 00p	
						9 35p	Lv Cincinnati, Big F'r Ar	6 50a	
						6 45a	Ar Cleveland, Big F'r Lv	9 35p	
						5 30p	Lv Lexington, Ky So R Ar	10 45a	
						8 10p	Lv Louisville, So. Ry. Lv	7 40a	
						7 42a	Ar St. Louis, So. Ry. Lv	10 00p	
						9 40a	Ar Anniston, So. Ry. Lv	7 38p	
						11 45a	Ar Birmingham, So R Lv	5 45p	
						8 05p	Ar Memphis, Frisco Lv	8 15a	
						9 40a	Ar Kansas City Fr'sco Lv	6 30p	
						8 30p	Lv Memphis, Tenn Ar	8 00a	
						9 20a	Ar Hot Springs, Ark Lv	7 45p	

No 30	Through Land of The Sky.	No 29
7 55p Lv	Jacksonville, Fla Ar	9 00a
12 15a Lv	Savannah, Ga Ar	4 50a
6 00a Ar	Columbia, S. C Lv	1 15a
1 50p Ar	Asheville, N. C Lv	4 15p
2 37p Ar	Hot Springs, N. C Lv	12 45p
6 00p Ar	Knoxville, Tenn Lv	9 35a
8 50a Ar	Louisville, Ky Lv	7 25p
4 56p Ar	St. Louis, Mo Lv	10 00a
8 15a Ar	Cincinnati, O Lv	8 10p

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	No. 4. Daily	No. 2. Daily.	STATIONS.	No. 1. Daily.	No. 3 Daily.	
	Lv P M	Lv A M		Ar. P M	Ar P M	
	3 00	.....	Fairfield	.....	2 30	
	3 10	.....	Irvine	.....	2 20	
	3 20	.....	Dungarvan	.....	2 10	
	3 25	.....	Southside	.....	2 05	
	3 30	.....	Hickman	.....	2 00	
	3 35	.....	Lake Simonton	.....	1 55	
	4 00	.....	Micanopy	.....	1 40	
	4 10	.....	Tacoma	.....	1 30	
	4 15	.....	Kirkwood	.....	1 25	
	4 20	.....	Clyatt	.....	1 20	
	4 30	.....	Wacahoota	.....	1 10	
	4 40	.....	Rocky Point	.....	12 55	
	5 00	.....	Gainesville	.....	12 30	Lv
	6 00	Lv 6 30	Gainesville	9 20	10 25	Ar
	6 30	6 53	Bellamy	8 55	9 55	
	6 50	7 05	Cyril	8 40	9 38	
	7 02	7 12	Graham	8 32	9 22	
	7 15	Ar 7 28	Sampson City	8 20	9 10	
	9 50	10 50	Palatka, G. S. & F.	5 50	p 6 00	a
	8 48	8 45	Lake City, G. S. & F.	7 04	p 7 42	
	.....	3 10	p Tallahassee, S. A. L.	1 48	p	
	11 05	11 00	a Valdosta, G. S. & F.	4 50	p 5 20	
	2 55	a 4 20	p Macon, G. S. & F.	11 30	a 12 40	a
	7 35	a 7 55	p Atlanta, C. of Ga.	7 50	a 9 00	
	Ar A M	Ar P M		Lv A M	Lv P M	

* Trains 3 and 4 do not run between Gainesville and Fairfield on Sundays.

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NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

Matters of General Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen Told in Short Paragraphs So That "He Who Runs May Read" It in The Sun.

Ladies' calling cards in latest styles at Sun office.

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Empire Comedy Company at opera house Monday night.

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Percy M. Padgett of New River was in the city on business yesterday.

The Sun Industrial Edition sent to any address, postage free, for 10 cents.

Some fine city and country property for sale. C. C. Pedrick, Gainesville, Fla.

Frasier Stephens of Alachua was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Tam H. Cato and grandson, Tam Moodey, were in the city from Alachua yesterday.

Judge Syd L. Carter has returned from a visit to Judson and other points in the West End.

Col. W. W. Hampton has returned from a professional visit to Jacksonville and other points.

Attorney W. S. Broome returned yesterday from Starke, where he was called on legal business.

E. W. Millican, the naval stores operator of Waldo, was a business visitor to Gainesville yesterday.

Mrs. J. D. Blanding and children of Sumter, S. C., are the guests of Mrs. James Doig, East Gainesville.

Ameng the prominent Alachua people visiting the county capital yesterday was Captain Sam Dupuis.

A. B. Britter, D. B. Raulerson and B. E. Raulerson of Lake City were registered at the Brown House yesterday.

Mrs. M. E. Neal of High Springs is in the city on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Wm. E. Dow, West Main street, North.

J. Fletcher Burnett has gone to Tampa, having been summoned on account of the death of Captain J. J. Mitchell.

W. C. Sale of Alton, who has been visiting relatives in this city for the past few days, returned to his home yesterday.

The Industrial Edition of The Sun is on sale at Avera's and Vidal's newsstands. Get a copy and send it to your friends.

Mrs. Reddick and son George have returned from Reddick, where they spent a few days pleasantly with relatives and friends.

Among the prominent visitors to this city are J. D. Luther and W. D. Finlayson of Old Town. They made The Sun an agreeable call.

Miss Margurite Stringfellow, who has been attending the Agness Scott Institute, Decatur, Ga., arrived home yesterday to spend the holidays.

Monroe Venable of Archer, one of the successful naval stores and lumber manufacturers of this section, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Your cake may be delightfully light, but unless properly flavored will be disappointing in taste. Blue Ribbon Vanilla adds to the goodness of all desserts.

Henry C Futch, who left several weeks ago for Fort Gaines, Ga., Dothan and Abbeville, Ala., and other points on business, has returned to this city.

C. E. King of Lebanon, Levy county, engineer of construction of the Jacksonville and Southwestern Railroad, was in the city yesterday on business connected with the United States land office.

John W. and W. G. English, two successful young planters of Tacoma, were among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday. They complain of excessive rains in their section, which will have a tendency to considerably damage the crops.

Mr and Mrs. F. S. Curl of Archer favored Gainesville with a visit yesterday.

County Surveyor James Croxton of Micanopy was here on official business yesterday.

D. D. Powell of the firm of Powell Bros., brokers, has gone to Lake City and other points on business.

Remember the Empire Comedy Company, which will appear at the opera house Monday evening, January 1.

Turpentine leases for sale at this office, 50c per dozen, $3 per hundred. Cash must accompany order. dawtf

Hartridge Lee of Melrose, who is attending the University High School here, has returned from a brief visit to his home.

D. W. McArthur of Montbrook was transacting business in this city yesterday. He is connected with the Florida Land Company.

Judge A. J. Cone, who recently removed to Raleigh where his son, T. J. Cone, is engaged in the manufacture of lumber, was in the city on business yesterday.

John H. Mutzer of Schuylkillhaven, Pa., has arrived in the city. He is an experienced baker and has accepted a position with Aldrich's Home Bakery, 2 3 East Magnolia street.

Wanted—Agents for Victor talking machines. Records now 35 cents, 50 cents and $1 for 7-inch, 10-inch and 12-inch sizes, wholesalers and retailers. Write for lists to Metropolitan Talking Machine Co., 323 Main street, Jacksonville, Fla.

Something good is in store for theater-goers at the opera house Monday evening next, when the Empire Comedy Company will hold the boards. They come well recommended as vaudeville artists and musicians of the highest class.

I. P. Robles of Tampa, a former cadet of East Florida Seminary, but for the past term attending the Southern Normal School at Bowling Green, Ky., has been in the city for the past two or three days on a visit to friends, all of whom were glad to welcome him again.

County Superintendent of Schools Dr. J. L. Kelley has recently materially improved the appearance of his office by installing a handsome drugget. This drugget will also have a tendency to make the room more comfortable and cheerful in inclement weather.

J. R. Emerson and party of West Virginians have returned from a visit to the former's magnificent orange grove at Kirkwood. Many of the party had never seen an orange grove before and were deeply interested. The entire party was well pleased with the tire party was well pleased with the visit, as well as the hospitality of Mr. Emerson.

W. T. Merchant of Meredith was among those who visited the city yesterday. He was accompanied by his brother-in-law, Thomas Holmes of Edgefield, S. C., who is spending a while with his sisters, Mesdames Merchant and S. J. Neal, at Meredith. This is Mr. Holmes' second visit to Florida, and he expressed himself as being well pleased with the country.

David Edelstein, formerly of this city but now of New York, left yesterday for Ocala and other points in South Florida, where he expects to remain for some time. Mr. Edelstein is the traveling representative for Sternberg, Pressner & Co., ladies' skirts and garments, New York. Mr. Sternberg was engaged in the mercantile business on Union street in this city for several years.

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Conductor M. R. Gilmer of the Atlantic Coast Line, who has been for some time in charge of the "Moonlight Express" between High Springs and Rochelle, has been transferred to the High Springs-Citra run. This will afford his numerous Gainesville friends an opportunity to say "howdy" once in a while, as he lays over here a couple of hours each day.

N. A. Callison has returned from Yatesville, Ga., where he has been on a brief visit to his friend, J. T. Blalock. Mr. Blalock owns a magnificent estate at Yatesville, and, Mr. Callison states, entertains a great many friends. Dr. Emerson, the celebrated Boston educator after whom the famous college is named, is now spending a few days with his wife at the Blalock homestead.

Miss Irene McCreary, who is attending Randolph-Macon College for Women, Lynchburg, Va., has arrived in the city and for the next two or three days will be the guest of her parents, Hon. and Mrs. H. H. McCreary. It is needless to add that her numerous friends here are delighted to greet her again. Miss McCreary has just concluded a visit with Hon. Frank Clark and family in Washington, during which she was most cordially entertained. She states that the weather was delightfully pleasant during her stay in the National Capital.

J. M. Turner of Lake View, one of the most successful farmers in the county, was in the city yesterday, having come to bring some pork to the market. He has just returned from Homosassa, where he visited the Yulee plantation and saw, among other ancient appliances of the farm, an immense cane mill and sugar boiler, which he was told were in service nearly three-quarters of a century ago. He states that they were in a remarkable state of preservation, and that the kettle at the time he saw it contained several gallons of water which appeared to have been standing for some time.

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